GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

(COMMERCE AND INDUSTRIES DEPARTMENT)

Subject.—**Determination of two Mining Leases Nos. 471 and 519 held by Sbri H. S. Krishnaswamy.**

READ—

(i) Government Orders No. CI 249 MML 59, dated 3rd December 1959 and No. CI 255 MML 61, dated 19th January 1962.

(ii) Government letter No. CI 61, EMO 66, dated 19/20th April 1965.

(iii) Letter No. 519 ML/62, dated 29th November 1966 from the Director, Mines and Geology, Bangalore.

PREAMBLE—

Government in their two Government Orders read at (i) above sanctioned the following two Mining Leases in favour of Sri H. S. Krishnaswamy :

(1) Mining Lease No. 471 for Corundum over 7 acres in Badavadi village Chamarajanagar Taluk, Mysore District for a period of 20 years with effect from 26th June 1960.

(2) Mining Lease No. 519 for Soapstone over 23-06 hectares in Hochihalli etc., village, Kadur Taluk, Chickmagalur District for a period of 20 years with effect from 10th August 1962.

In Government letter at (ii) read above, Government issued a notice to the Lessee calling upon him to pay the arrears of Rs. 1,700/ towards dead Rent due to Government on the two Mining Lease blocks within a period of sixty days from the date of that letter, failing which further proceedings would be taken to determine the Mining Leases in question and also forfeit the whole of Security deposits paid by the Lessee on this account.

The Director, Mines and Geology, in his letter read at (iii) above reports that the Lessee has paid a sum of Rs. 1,38 on 7th October 1966 leaving a balance of Rs. 1,382 and also reports that the Lessee has not made any attempt to commence mining operations. He has therefore recommended determination of the two Leases in question.